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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, AS, US

SUBJECT: US/GOA CONSULTATIONS

FOR AMBASSADOR GREEN FROM DEP. ASST. SECRETARY HUMMEL

REF: CANBERRA 1723

1. SNEIDER ABSENT FROM WASHINGTON UNTIL APRIL 1, BUT REFTEL SUBJECT BRIEFLY DISCUSSED WITH HIM BY TELEPHONE MARCH 23. HE PREFERS REPLY IN DETAIL ON HIS RETURN, BUT HIS INITIAL REACTION TO YOUR AND RENOUF'S PROPOSALS FOR REGULAR BUT INFORMAL CONSULTATIONS FAVORABLE IN PRINCIPLE. HOWEVER, HE BELIEVES IT MAY BE NECESSARY KEEP THESE CONSULTATIONS, AND THOSE LINKED WITH NEW NWC AGREEMENTS, SEPARATE OWING INTERNAL GOA CONSIDERATIONS MENTIONED BY BILL PRITCHETT TO SNEIDER. WE UNDERSTAND FROM SNEIDER THAT PRITCHETT AND BARNARD WISH KEEP NWC CONSULTATIONS AWAY FROM FONOFF AND WITHIN AUSTRALIAN DOD CONTEXT, ALTHOUGH US SIDE WOULD NOT NECESSARILY BE SO LIMITED.

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